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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the present 35 U.S.C. § 371 application as follows prior to the substantive examination thereof:

In the Title

Please amend the title to "Method and Apparatus for using a Knife-Gate Valve for High-Flow Pressure Regulation"

Claim Amendments

The following is a complete listing of the claims of the present 35 U.S.C. § 371 application as searched by the International Search Authority during the international stage. The following listing of the claims is intended to replace all prior versions of claims in the application. Please make the following amendments to the claims.